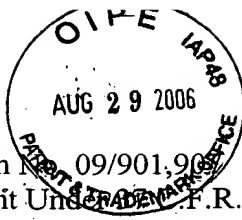


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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Canceled).
2. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim 1 24, which has a turbidity ranging from 2 to 500 NTU.
- 3-4. (Canceled).
5. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim 1 24, wherein the amount of the phosphate surfactant(s) ranges from 1 % to 50 % by weight of active material based on the total weight of the composition.
6. (Original): The composition according to Claim 5, wherein said amount of the phosphate surfactant(s) ranges from 1.5 % to 20 % by weight.
7. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim 1 24, wherein the foaming nonionic surfactant gives a foam height $H \geq 3$ cm.
8. (Original): The composition according to Claim 7, wherein the foaming nonionic surfactant gives a foam height $H \geq 5$ cm.
9. (Canceled).
10. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim 1 24, wherein the amount of nonionic surfactant(s) ranges from 1 % to 50 % by weight of active material based on the total weight of the composition.
11. (Original): The composition according to Claim 10, wherein the amount of nonionic surfactant(s) ranges from 1.5 % to 20 % by weight of active material based on the total weight of the composition.
- 12-13. (Canceled).



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14. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim ~~1~~ 24, wherein the amount of cationic polymer(s) ranges from 0.01 % to 5 % by weight of active material with respect to the total weight of the composition.

15. (Original): The composition according to Claim 14, wherein the amount of cationic polymer(s) ranges from 0.05 % to 2 % by weight of active material with respect to the total weight of the composition.

16. (Canceled).

17. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim ~~1~~ 24, wherein the composition is an aqueous composition which in addition to water comprises at least one component selected from the group consisting of lower alcohols, polyols, sugars and their mixtures.

18. (Currently Amended): The composition according to Claim ~~1~~ 24, which further comprises at least one thickening agent.

19. (Currently Amended): A method for cleansing and/or removing make-up from the skin, scalp and/or hair, comprising:

applying the cleansing composition of Claim ~~1~~ 24 to the skin, scalp or hair; and then rinsing the skin, scalp or hair to remove the cleansing composition.

20. (Currently Amended): A method for scrubbing and/or exfoliating the skin or scalp, comprising:

applying the cleansing composition of Claim ~~1~~ 24 to the skin or scalp; and then rinsing the skin or scalp to remove the cleansing composition.

21. (Currently Amended): A method for cleansing the skin or scalp of grime, comprising:

applying the cleansing composition of Claim + 24 to the skin or scalp; and then rinsing the skin or scalp to remove the grime and cleansing composition.

22. (Currently Amended): A method for cleansing the skin, scalp or hair of grease, comprising:

applying the cleansing composition of Claim + 24 to the skin, scalp or hair; and then rinsing the skin, scalp or hair to remove the grease and cleansing composition.

23. (Canceled).

24. (Currently Amended): A cleansing composition, comprising:

at least one phosphate surfactant component comprising at least one monoalkyl phosphate surfactant, at least one foaming non-ionic surfactant, and at least one cationic polymer devoid of saccharide groups in an aqueous medium, wherein the composition has the appearance of a transparent gel and wherein the composition does not contain amphoteric surfactant, wherein ~~the cationic polymer is selected from the group consisting of homopolymers and copolymers of acrylic esters, methacrylic esters and amides comprising an anion derived from an inorganic or organic acid; polymers of alkylallylamine or of dialkylallylammmonium; quaternary polymers of vinylpyrrolidone, of imidazole, of vinylimidazole or of methylvinylimidazole; vinylpyrrolidone polymers comprising methacrylamidopropyl dimethylamine or methacrylamidopropyl trimethylammmonium units; and their blends~~ (1) said at least one monoalkyl phosphate surfactant is selected from the group consisting of monolauryl phosphate, the potassium salt of dodecyl phosphate, the octyl monoester of phosphoric acid, the ethoxylated (7 mol. of EO) 2-butyloctanol monoester of phosphoric acid, the potassium or triethanolamine salts of monoalkyl (C₁₂-C₁₃) phosphate, and potassium lauryl phosphate;

(2) said at least one foaming nonionic surfactant is selected from the group consisting of alkylpolyglucosides and polyglycerolated fatty alcohols;

(3) said at least one cationic polymer is selected from the group consisting of polyquaternium-5, polyquaternium-47, polyquaternium-7, polyquaternium-39, polyquaternium-28 and polyquaternium-44.

25. (Canceled).